

## **2023 Solvay Middle School Ski Club Policy Guidelines, Rules & Procedures**

### **General Information**

- o The Ski & Snowboard Club is an opportunity for students to go on six trips to Labrador Mountain. At the mountain, students must attend 4 lessons provided by trained ski school instructors, included with the package! Additionally, students spend their time skiing and snowboarding on a variety of trails offering any skill level a challenging and thrilling experience. Students will have time both before and after group lessons to ski/snowboard on their friends independently.
- o Registration is first come first serve due to limited availability.
- o Transportation to and from the high school is provided by the school district. Transportation will be shared with the Solvay High School Ski Club.
- o Ski club is a school event so all applicable Solvay School District Code of Conduct rules apply.
- o The Solvay School District Academic Eligibility Policy applies to all clubs including ski clubs. If a student becomes academically ineligible they may no longer participate in the club. No refunds will be given by Labrador Mountain or the Solvay School District if a student becomes academically ineligible. This policy can be found in your parent/student handbook mailed out earlier this year.
- o Ski & Snowboard members must follow all Labrador Mountain Rules & Regulations

### **Dates:**

- o Registration paper and payment due November 9, 2023 or sooner.
- o The ski club will be taking six **Tuesday** night trips to Labrador Mountain. These will occur on 1/10/2023, 1/17/2023, 1/24/2023, 1/31/2023, 2/7/2023, 2/14/2023. If a week is canceled due to bad weather or lack of snow, a week will be added on the end as long as Labrador Mountain remains open for the season.

### **Equipment:**

- o Both ski and snowboard rentals are available at Labrador Mountain.
- o Ski equipment (boots, skis, poles) or snowboard equipment (boots, snowboard) are necessary to participate.
- o A package is available that dramatically reduces the rate for rentals. The package includes all six weeks and needs to be paid in full up front.
- o **Helmets are required for the Solvay Middle School Ski & Snowboard Club!** A helmet rental 6 pack is available as well. You can also choose to provide your own helmet.
- o Students will need to supply their own winter outdoor clothing (coat, snow pants, gloves, hat, etc.)

### **Payment:**

- o Acceptable payment methods include cash, personal check or credit card.
- o Credit card payment should be included in the appropriate location on the pass application and all transactions will be handled by Labrador Mountain.

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- o Make all checks payable to **Labrador Mountain** and include the child's name in the memo line.

### **Bus Information:**

- o Students should report to Mrs. Nadzan's room directly following the 10th period. The bus will leave Solvay Middle School at approximately 2:45 and pick up students at Solvay High School at approximately 3:00. If you are late, the bus does not wait for you.
- o The bus will leave Labrador Mountain promptly at 8:00. If you are late returning to the bus, you will forfeit your ride to Labrador Mountain in the following week. Estimated return time to Solvay High School will be approximately 8:45p.m.
- o While on the bus, students will behave in a mature, responsible manner. Students will remain in their seats until the bus comes to a complete stop. At the discretion of the bus driver or advisor, if a student is misbehaving on the bus they will forfeit their trip the following week.
- o If a student rides the bus to Labrador Mountain with the ski club, they must ride back with the bus, unless injury does not allow them to do so. If a student does not ride the bus to Labrador Mountain, they may under **no circumstances** ride the bus back to Solvay Schools with the club.
- o If an injury occurs that renders a student incapable of riding the bus home it is the parent/guardian's responsibility to pick up their child at Labrador Mountain or an ambulance will be called.